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Dear Miss George
I can't think of
much to write, except
thanks for all the
knowledge you have
given me, and I
hope you don't forget
me. Lots of luck with
your teaching.
Nellie June Caldwell
(Miss)

Dear Miss George
I wish you happiness
in the years to come.
It has been nice to
have you as a teacher
A student
Betty Thompson

Dear Miss George,
You are one of the
best teachers I have
ever known. Some
kids think you are
a bit strict, but you
have to be or none would
will try and rule the
teacher. I am looking
forward to being in
three of your classes
next year. Best wishes
and lots of trouble in the
future.
A student of yours
Jay Vineyard

Dear Miss George
Remember the chile
supper we had at
Martha Annis and
all the other parties.
I wish you success
and happiness in the
years to come.
A student
Marjorie Uber

Dear Miss George,
I am surely glad
to have been in two of
your classes this year.
I've finally learned
to write shorthand,
even if it took a
long time to do it,
but I'll never make
100 words a minute,
so please don't give
us dictation that
fast any more.
A Friend
Betty Harley
Brown

100

Virginia Lee George

I wish you happiness
and luck.
Hazel Bowman

Dear Miss George,
Don't forget the
good times we have
had in the past years.
I want to wish you
all the luck that the
world holds in store
for you in your attempt
to be a Good Teacher.
A Friend & Student
Ann Dunn

Dear Miss George:
I wish you
happiness and success
in everything you
undertake to do.
Remember all the good
times we have had.
a Student & friend
Glaudine Woods
(Addison's sister)

Dear, nice
Miss George, Teacher, Buddy
I hope you have a Glorious
Year this year and
have happiness
and Joy.
a friend. Billy

Dear Miss George,
It's been swell
having you for a teacher
this year.
Remember the box
supper we had, and
what happened when
you were square dancing. Ha.
I'll be looking
forward to having you as
my teacher next year.
a friend
Mary Ann

Dear Miss George
I wish all the
success and
happiness the
World can afford
in the coming
years.
Its been nice
having you for
a ~~the~~ teacher.
A student
Lois Flood

Dear Miss George -
Have enjoyed being a fellow
member with you in teaching
May success & happiness be
yours always -
Louis Kim Brock

Dear Miss George
It's been swell having you
as a teacher. Remember
all the arguments we
have got into when we
played a putt putt golf
looking forward to all the
good times next year.
Lois
P.S. Don't know how to
spell Van Houton
write me if you
can.

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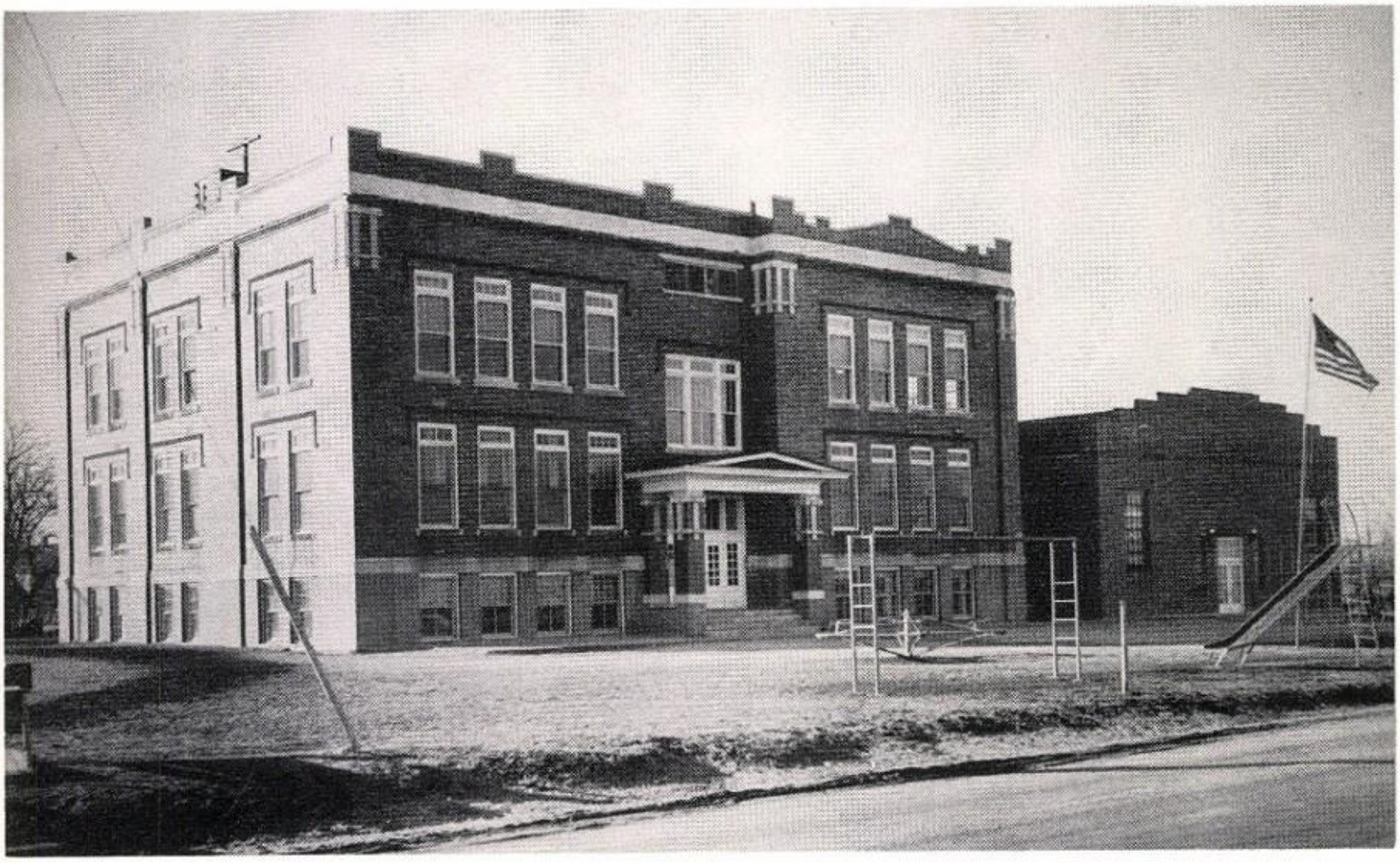

WEIR HIGH SCHOOL

1950

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Dedication

Board Of Education

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TO YOU, THE MEMBERS OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION, WHO ARE SERVING OUR SCHOOL FAITHFULLY, WHO HAVE A SINCERE RESPECT AND UNDERSTANDING FOR YOUTH, AND WHO ARE LABORING UNSELFISHLY FOR THE COMPLETE EDUCATION OF EVERY BOY AND GIRL, WE, THE BLUE AND GOLD STAFF, DEDICATE THIS 1950 EDITION OF THE BLUE & GOLD.

Superintendent

John E. Herring, B.S., M.S.

The publication of this annual not only signifies the completion of another successful school year, but also reminds us that the final curtain is about to fall on the high school careers of fifteen fine young men and women, the Seniors of 1950. The faculty and undergraduates will feel the loss deeply when school is resumed next September.

We shall hope for the greatest of success for the graduates of 1950. Measure this success, not by the amount of money or other worldly goods that you are able to accumulate, but by the happiness that you bring to yourself and others through service. We hope that your high school education will be a help to you in realizing this and other ideals.

The staff and sponsor of the "Blue and Gold" again deserve credit and appreciation for this publication. We want you to know that you have performed a very worthwhile service for the school and community.

John E Herring

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Biology, General Science
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K.S.T.C. Pittsburg

Mrs. Mary L. Colcord, B.S.
English, Observer
Home Economics
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Miss Ella Dodson
Study Hall
Library

Miss Virginia George, B.S.
Commerce
Economics
K.S.T.C. Pittsburg

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Miss Garnet O'Neal
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Intermediate Grades
K. S. T. C. Pittsburg

Mrs. Pearl Harley B. S.
Primary Grades
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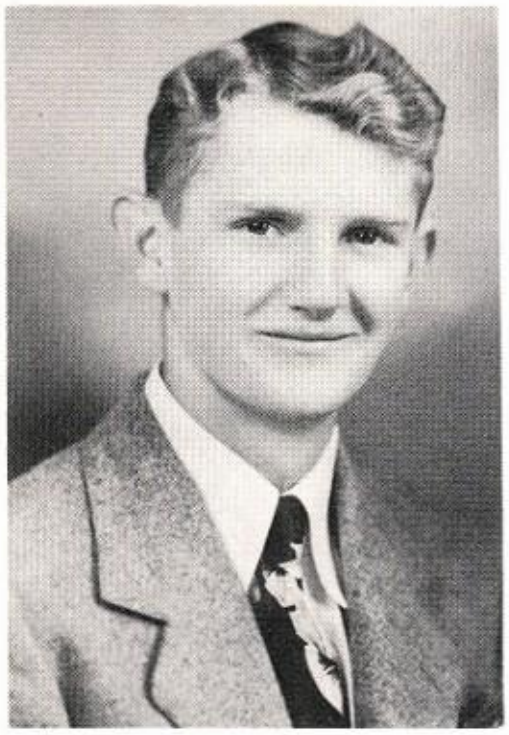
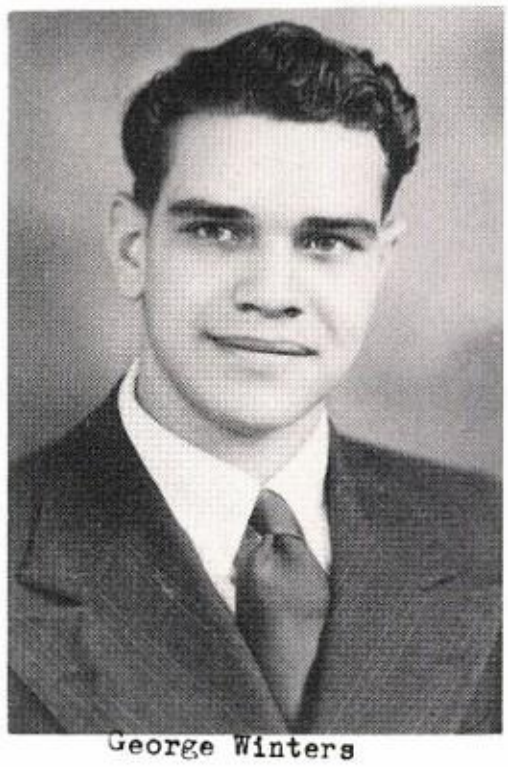


Edward Quesnoy



George Winters

Harold Martin

SENIORS

Helen Gillenwaters

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Nelle June Craddock

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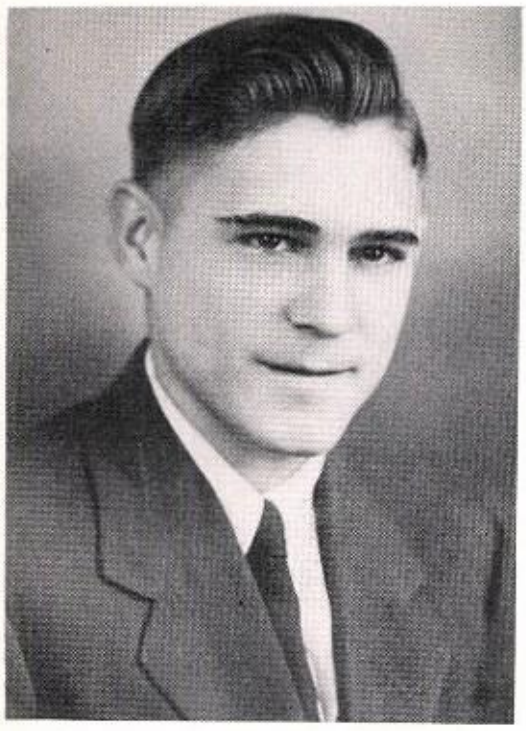

Frank Van Kam

Jean Ann Ross

Hazel E. Bowman

Betty Jo Filby

Claudine Woods

Nellie June Barrett

Wilma Jean Sullivan

Florence Marie Penrod

James Thompson

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Class Will

We, the Senior Class of Weir High being of sound mind do declare this to be our last will and testament.

Article I:

To the teachers, we bequeath our thanks for their patience in teaching us.

To the Freshmen, Sophomores, and Juniors of 1950, we leave our old torn up school books, pencils, and our brilliant minds.

Article II:

Hazel Bowman wills her blonde hair to Vivian Bennett.

To Mary Lou Ross, Betty Jo Filby wills her knowledge of American History.

Helen Gillenwaters wills her liking for the opposite sex to Bonnie Walker.

To Joe Markham, Harold Martin wills his mellow voice.

Florence Penrod wills her well controlled temper to Shirley Larson.

Eddie Quesnoy wills his ability to drive a car to Don Brown.

To Carolyn Owens, Jean Ann Ross wills her ability to twirl.

Wilma Sullivan wills her address book to Anna Lou Gowans.

Claudine Woods wills all of her old school books that are behind the radiators to Mary Edith Scott.

Elma Jean Walters wills her ability to keep a boyfriend over four years to Mary Ann Myers.

George Winters wills "Donna Scott" to Cleo Jones (Take good care of her).

Frank VanKam wills his talkativeness to Danny Sullivan.

James Thompson wills his ability to work at the Weir Service Station to Dickie Carr.

Nelle June Craddock wills her ability to play popular music to Irma Ilene Bellezza.

Nellie June Barrett wills her right to be a member of the Commercial Law class to Martha Ann Ohmsieder.

Signed:

The Senior Class

Witnesses:

Carolyn Sue Owens

Donald Martin

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Class Prophecy

The summer of 1965 was a grand season, so what could be better than to take a vacation. The desire to see my old classmates seemed to be taking shape as I met Helen Gillenwaters at Kansas City. She was working as a secretary for United Airlines.

In Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, I saw Eddie Quesnoy, an expert mechanic. In addition to operating his automobile factory he is quite an inventor; his latest production being the "Quesnoy Super Rocket."

After about two and one-half hours of travel I landed in New York where I found George Winters, a great singer and orchestra leader in the famous Stork Club. As I was driving along Fifth Avenue, I saw Jean Ann Ross and her husband, Vernon Curtis, coming out of their beautiful mansion. At their request I spent the night and then at early dawn I boarded a plane for Florida. To my surprise Frank VanKam was on the same plane. We had quite a visit. He told me about his wife and three children and his wonderful position as salesman for Karo syrup.

Nelle June Craddock is the proprietor of the Dating Bureau at Tampa, Florida, and next to her family, it takes up most of her time. At the beach I saw Florence Penrod, who will, after her vacation, be working as a bookkeeper for the United States Steel Company.

While journeying through Texas whom should I come upon but Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Vineyard, owners of a beautiful ranch. Mrs. Vineyard is better known to us as Hazel Bowman. Upon their invitation we traveled to El Paso to see the inauguration of Claudine Woods, the first woman governor of Texas.

Since a vacation would not be complete without seeing the movie capital of the world, I found myself entering the Paramount Studios. There whom would I find but Harold Martin, who had recently taken Clark Gable's place. He told me that Wilma Sullivan was in Los Angeles. There I found her nursing at Mercy Hospital.

My next stop was Nevada and there, on Bar K, a small ranch, I found Elma Jean Walters and her husband, Kenneth Knapp. They have been ranching for a number of years.

By this time the summer is drawing to a close. As I journey back to the old homestead I see James Thompson, the owner of the Weir Food Market. Nellie June Barrett is teaching at the largest school in Kansas, good ole Weir High.

I am now satisfied to end my trip after visiting all my friends and school chums. Since I have been traveling I have not disclosed my name. It is Betty Filby and I am a happily married housewife.

Signed: *Betty Filby*

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"Who's Who"

Barrett, Nellie June
Pep Club 1,2,3,4; Band 2,3,4; Annual Staff 3,4, Assistant Editor 3, Editor 4; Observer Staff 2,3; Chorus 1,3; Class Officer 1; Office Girl 1; Junior Play; Kayettes 4.

Bowman, Hazel Elexene
Pep Club 1,2,3,4; Annual Staff 4; Chorus 1,3; Office Girl 2,3; Junior Play; Senior Play.

Craddock, Nelle June
Pep Club 1,2,3,4; Band 2,3,4; Observer Staff 4; Chorus 1,3; Annual Queen Candidate 4; Kayettes 4.

Filby, Betty Jo
Pep Club 1,2,3,4, Cheer Leader 1,2; Band 2,3,4; Annual Queen 1; Chorus 1,3; Class Officer 3; Office Girl 3; Annual Staff 4; Junior Play; Senior Play; Kayettes 4.

Gillenwaters, Helen Irene
Pep Club 1,2,3,4; Band 2; Chorus 1; Carnival Queen Candidate 1; Office Girl 2; Annual Staff 2,4; Observer Staff 3,4; Class Officer 2,3,4; Junior Play; Senior Play; Kayette, President 4.

Martin, Harold Anthony
Football 1,2,3; Basketball 1,2,3; Track 1,2,3; Band 1,2,3,4; Chorus 1; Carnival Attendant 2; Class Officer 1,2,4; Junior Play; Obsever Staff, Business Manager 4; Senior Play; Kays, President 4.

Penrod, Florence Marie
Pep Club 1,2,3,4; Chorus 1; Senior Play; Kayettes 4.

Quesnoy, Merl Edward
Football 1,2,3,4; Basketball 1,2, 3,4; Track 1,2,3; Band 1,2,3,4; Chorus 1; Annual King Candidate 1,3; Class Officer 1,2,3; Junior Play; Senior Play; Kays. Vice-President 4.

Ross, Jean Ann
Pep Club 1,2,3,4; Band 1,2,3,4; Annual Queen Candidate 3; Chorus 3; Class Officer 2,4; Junior Play; Carnival Queen 4; Annual Staff 4; Observer Staff 4; Senior Play; Kayettes 4.

Sullivan, Wilma
Pep Club 1,2,3,4, Cheer Leader 1,2,3; Chorus 1,3; Class Officer 1,2; Office Girl 2; Carnival Queen Candidate 4; Observer Staff 2,4; Junior Play; Senior Play; Kayettes 4.

Thompson, James R.
Football 1,2,3,4; Basketball 1,2, 3,4; Track 1,2,3,4; Annual King Candidate 2; Class Officer 3; Chorus 1; Junior Play; Senior Play.

VanKam, Frank Mitchel
Football 1,3,4; Basketball 1,2,3,4; Track 1,2,3,4; Band 2,3,4; Chorus 1; Pep Club 1,2; Class Officer 1; Carnival Attendant 3,4; Junior Play; Senior Play.

Walters, Elma Jean
Pep Club 1,2,3,4; Band 1; Chorus 1; Observer Staff, Editor 3,4; Class Officer 4; Junior Play; Senior Play.

Winters, George
Football 4; Basketball 4; Track 4; Annual King Candidate 4; Senior Play; Fordland, Missouri 1,2; Webb City 3.

Woods, Claudine
Pep Club 1,2,3,4; Band 1,2,3,4; Chorus 1,3; Annual Staff 2,4, Business Manager 4; Observer Staff 3,4; Office Girl 2; Annual Queen Candidate 2; Junior Play.

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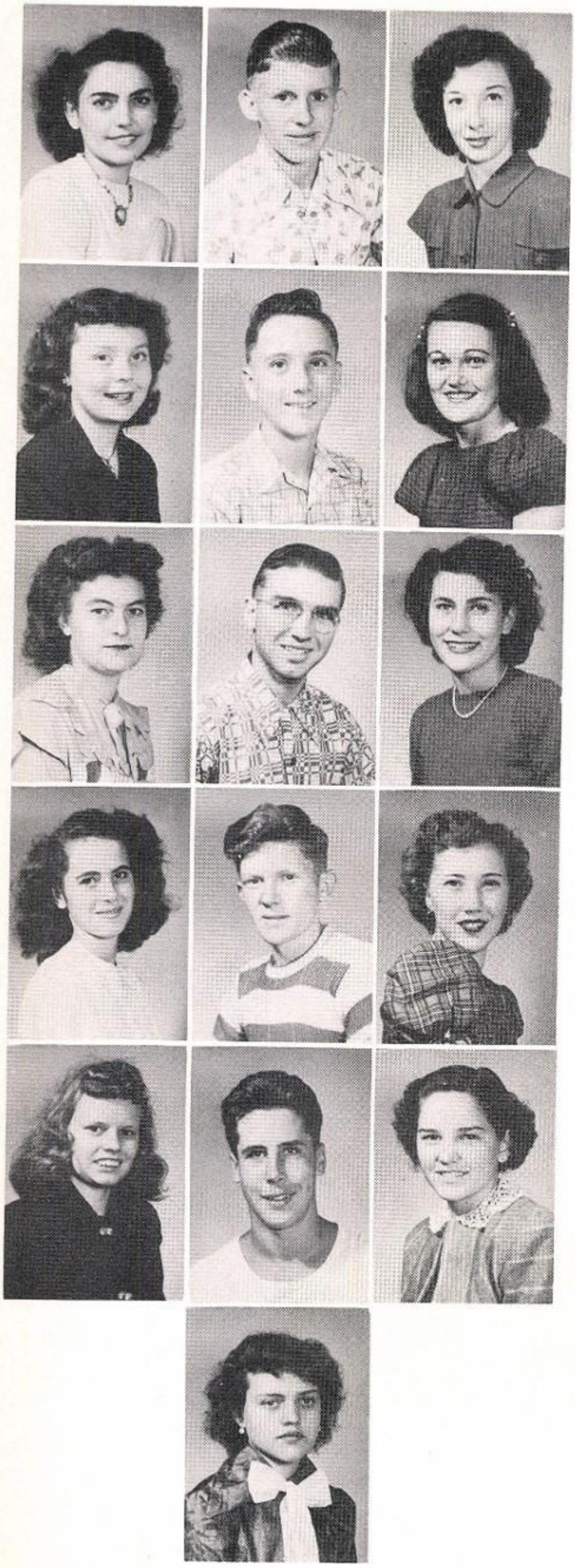

JUNIORS

Sue Van Houten
Don Brown
Benny Harley

Martha Ohmsieder
Corwin Jones
Betty Blake

Betty J. Thompson
Jay Vineyard
Mary Ann Myers

Mary E. Scott
Ray Brown
Alene Bowman

Vivian Bennett
Joe Markham
Marjorie Uber

Lois Flood

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SOPHOMORES

Billie J. Craddock
Nancy Carr
Bob Hodgson

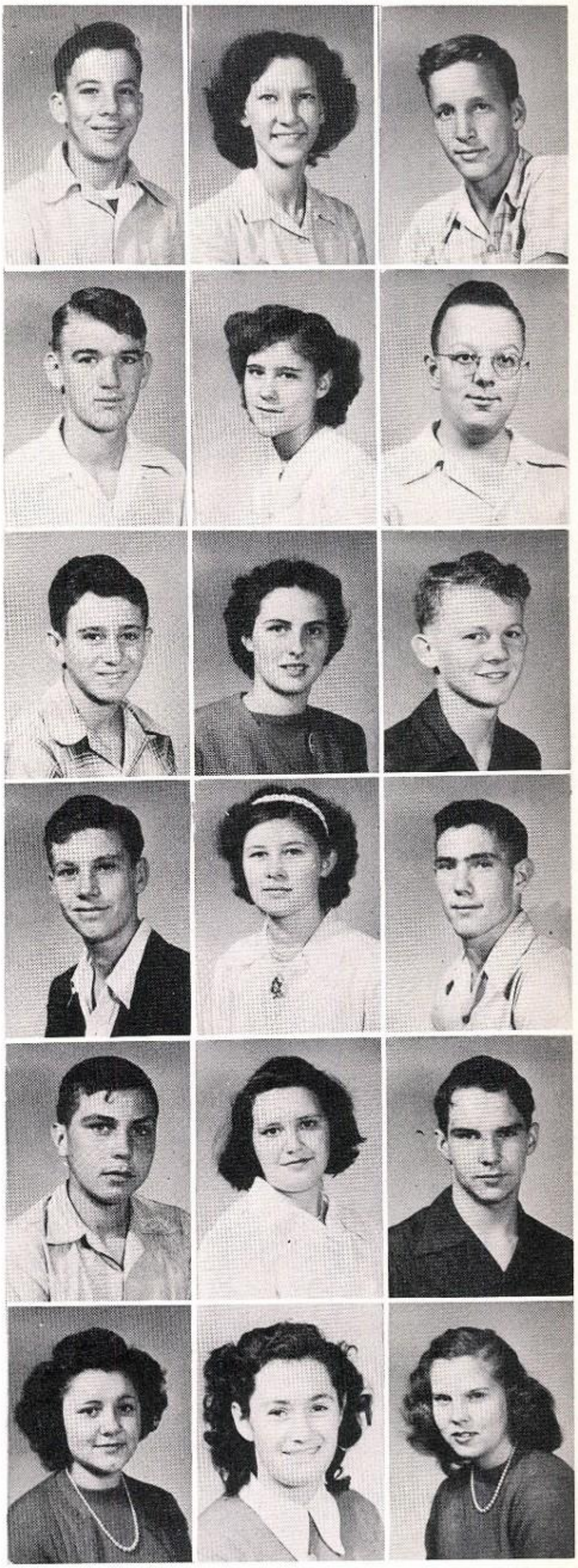
Mac Richards
Anna Van Kam
Murlin Smith

Billy Sachetta
Katherine McKenna
Francis Greer

George Curtis
Peggy Turner
Don Ross

Danny Sullivan
Mary Winters
Edwin Kennedy

Bonnie Walker
Pauline Stark
Donna Scott



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FRESHMEN

Leo Jones

Wanda Smith

Cecil Flood

Neva J. Mishler

Jane Ann Greer

Edward Quinn

Irma Bellezza

James Bennett

Sue Scott

Johnnie Poznich

Caryl J. Bowman

Donald Martin

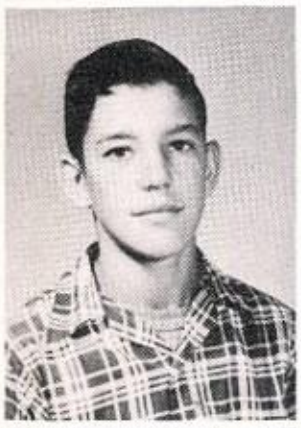
Marian Dugger

Andrew Lloyd Jr.

Helen M. Martin

Joseph McKenna

Carolyn Owens



Richard Carr

Anna L. Gowans

Cleo Jones

Marlene Curtis

Jack Scott

Mary Lou Ross

Bob Larson

Shirley Larson

Mary Ann Brohl

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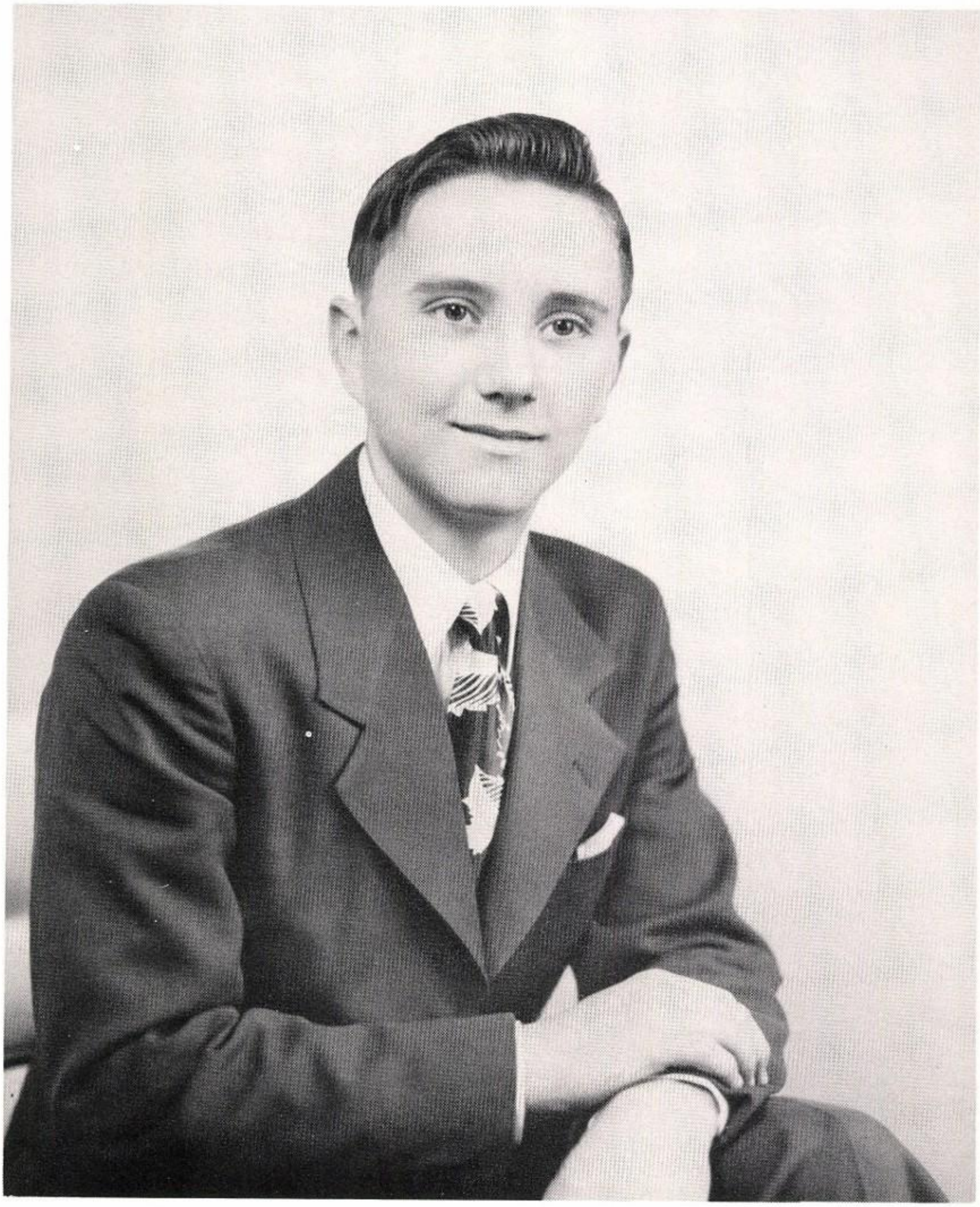
Annual King



Corwin Jones

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Annual Queen

Mary Ann Myers

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Gold and Blue Coronation

Corwin-Mary Ann

Francis-Kathryn

George-Nelle June

Edward-Marian

Top Row: Claudine Woods, Business Manager; Nellie June Barrett, Editor; Nellie June Craddock, Senior Candidate; Kathryn McKenna, Sophomore Candidate; Marian Dugger, Freshman Candidate; Ida Jane Bennett, Crown Bearer; Mary Ann Myers, Queen; Corwin Johes, King; Franky Adams, Crown Bearer; Edward Quinn, Freshman Candidate; Francis Greer, Sophomore Candidate; George Winters, Senior Candidate; Mrs. Nadine Herring, Pianist.

Bottom Row: Mary Leona Kinder, Train Bearer; Shirley Standley, Flower Girl; Jo Ann Hardesty, Flower Girl; Gary Mallams, Herald; Jerry Simone, Herald; Mary Kathryn Martin, Flower Girl; Rose Ann Bennett, Train Bearer.

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Band

Clarinets- Edward Quinn, Betty Jo Filby, Robert Larson, Caryl Jean Adams, Mary Larson, Nellie June Ross, Helen Marie Martin, Peggy Ann Roberts, Judy Martin, Alice Ann O'Neal. Snare drums- Joan Bennett, Neva June Mishler, Shirley Larson, Nellie June Craddock. Cymbals- Sue Van Houten. Bass drum- Nancy Carr. Bass- Frank Van Kam, Eddie Quesnoy. Cornets- Johnnie Poznich, Dale Simonin, Carl Ed Martin, Jacqueline Shaw, Mary Edith Scott, Vernice Lomax, William Henry White, Wayne Kennedy, Marlene Curtis. Trombones- Harold Martin, Nellie June Barrett, Claudine Woods, Don Ross. Baritones- Jay Vineyard, Patricia Brady, Billy Jo Craddock. Drum major- Betty June Thompson. Majorettes- Mary Ann Myers, Benny Harley, Jean Ann Ross. Flag bearers- Carolyn Owens, Anna Lou Gowans. Director- John Herring

The special activities of the Weir High School band include presentation of regular Saturday night concerts during the summer and participation in out of town festivities. Among these are:

Mineral Fair
Weir Homecoming Concert
Weir Homecoming
Baxter Lions Carnival
Cherokee Homecoming
McCune Fall Festival
K.S.T.C. Homecoming
Fort Scott Armistice Celebration
Columbus Christmas Festival
Galena Christmas Festival

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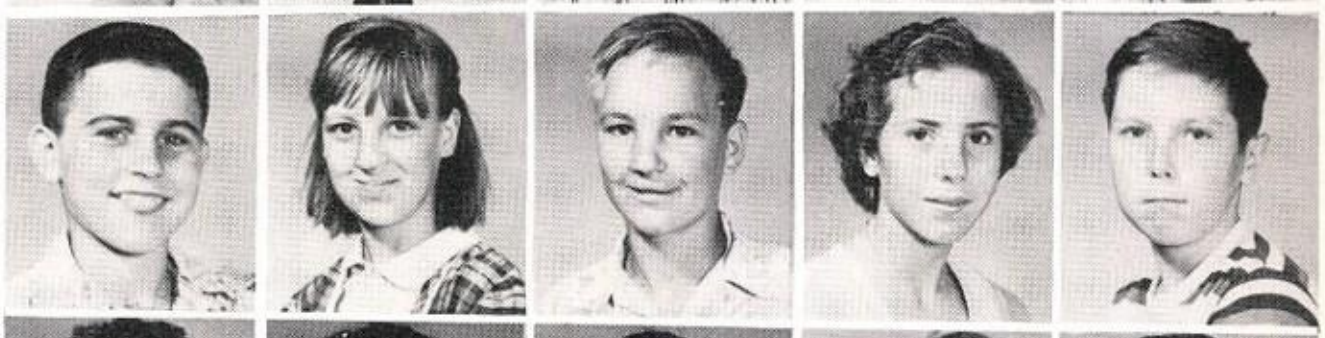
Norma Brown
Dale Simonin
Patricia Brady
Neal Scott

Robert Scott
Jacqueline Shaw
Billy B. Bennett
Jo Ann Bennett
Dennis Sullivan



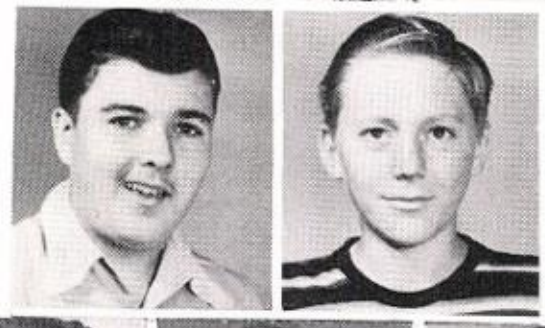
EIGHTH

Johnnie Thompson
Maxine Gillenwaters
Carl Ed Martin
Peggy Penrod
Bob Neely

GRADE

Sammy Jones
Ida Mae Hindman
Phillip Leroy
Joan Lomax
Murice Lammey

Jackie Jones
Glen Spencer



Tommy Hubbard
Margaret Ross
Judy Martin
Vernice Lomax
Fred Fisher

SEVENTH

Lula Cutshall
Mary A. Mummert
William White
Reba Gerley
Peggy A. Roberts

GRADE

Eunice Newport
Wayne Kennedy
Lois A. Fudge
Retha Gorley
Darlene Lammey

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Billie L. O'Malley
Francis Sullivan
Caryl J. Adams
Bobby Martin
Elizbeth A. O'Malley

Alyceann O'Neal
Larry Larson
Mary R. Larson
Robert Pierson
Nellie J. Ross

SIXTH GRADE

Lillian McKenna
James Bennett
Wilma Dietz
Bill Ohmsieder
Doris Carr

Betty Bond
Jerry Jones
Henrietta Wilson
Nadine Fisher

Jay D. Shaw
Martha K. Cutshall
Freddie Martin
Darlene Carpenter
David Bennett

Ruth A. Barrett
Jimmy Wilson
Connie Standley
Fritz Penrod
Sue Richards

FIFTH GRADE

Phillip O'Malley
Betty Pierson
Freddie Worley
Betty L. Wilson
Donald Curtis

Darlene Lair
Maxine Bond

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FOURTH GRADE

Judith Ann Emerson
William Carpenter
Margaret Ann Pomatto
Alonzo Bennett
Louise Neeley

Elizabeth Gorley
Donald Fisher
Mariruth O'Neal
Buddy O'Neal
Kay Sullivan

Earlene Knapp
Jackie Adams
Mary Kay Russell
Henry Lee Stricklin
Nadine Bond

Helen Ross
Nancy Larson

Michael Quinn
Nancy Emerson
Billie Newport
Arlene Knapp
Jackie Simone

THIRD GRADE

Judy Penrod
Ronnie Richards
Helen M. Martin
Billy Lee Gowans
Deanna Weems

Robert Richards
Shirley Thompson
Donnie Fromong
Philomena McKenna
Tommy Pierson

Saundra Shaw
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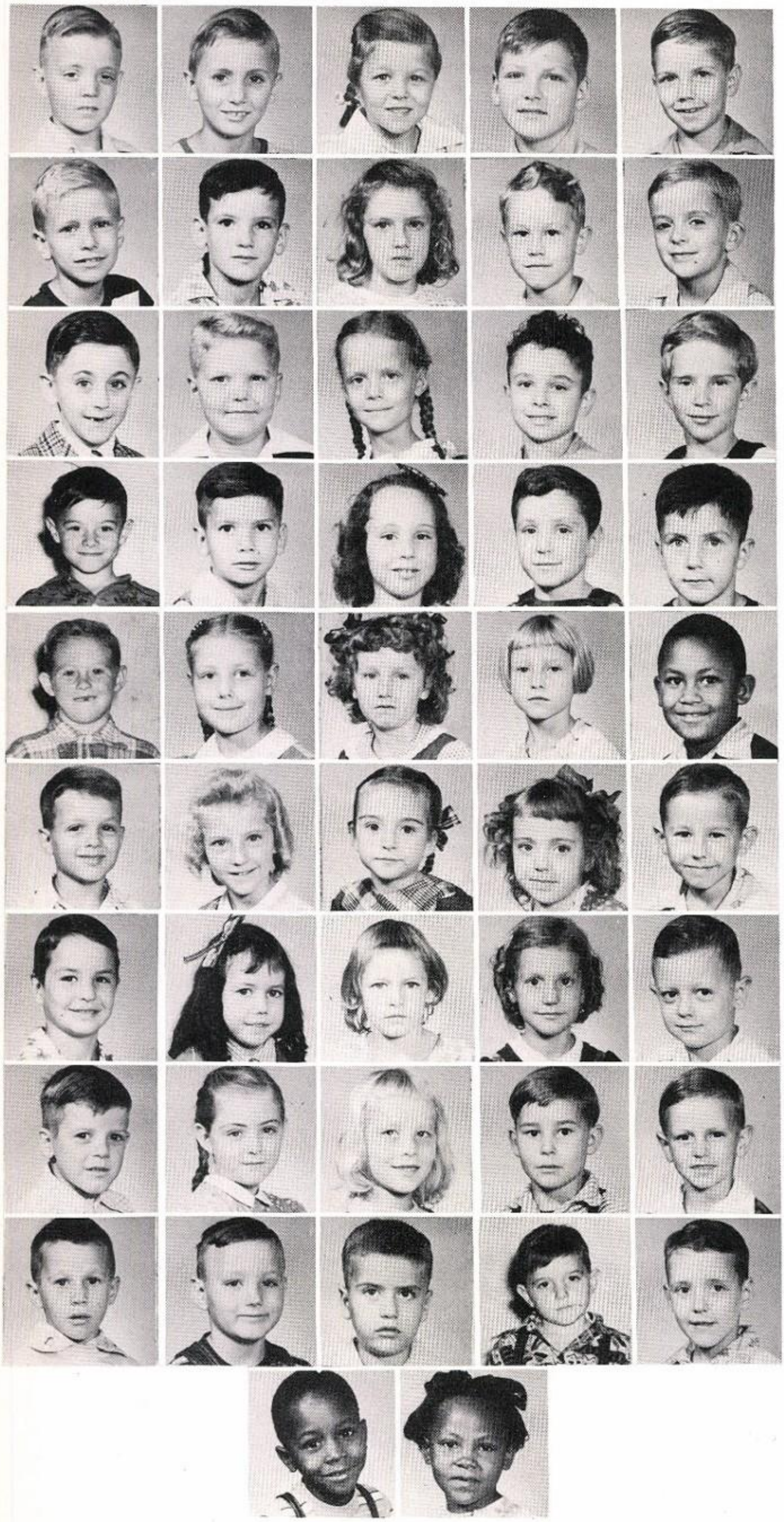

Jackie Martin
Donnie Jones
Billie B. Moran
Larry Russell
Ernest Fisher

SECOND

Tommy Clugston
Jack Richards
Jimmie O'Malley
Louanna Aubert
Tommy Standley

Louie L. Barney
Tony Salvino
Jan Herring
Michael Worley
Junior Ross

GRADE

Billy B. Scott
Pat O'Neal
Lois O'Malley
J.C. Carpenter
Pat Sullivan

Carl D. Prewett
Roberta Dietz
Mary D. Payne
Mary Cutshall
Donnie Harris

Billy Woods
Rose A. Bennett
Mary C. Martin
Shirley Standley
Frank Adams

FIRST

Danny Pierson
Ida J. Bennett
Virginia Aubert
Mary Kinder
Jerry Simone

Gene Richards
Jo A. Hardesty
Donna Smith
Sonny Sharp
Gary Mallams

GRADE

Billy Penrod
John Lair
Buddy Borneman
Tommy Martin
Tommy Farrell

Jimmie Fleming
Carol Fleming

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Football

First Row- Johnnie Poznich, Cleo Jones, Joe McKenna, Edward Quinn, Billy Jo Craddock, Billy Sachetta.
Second Row- James Bennett, Joe Markham, Donald Martin, Mac Richards, George Winters, Danny Sullivan, Bob Hodgson, Coach Ken Brock.
Third Row- Richard Carr, Robert Larson, Don Ross, James Thompson, Edwin Kennedy, Eddie Quesnoy, Frank Van Kam, Francis Greer.

The 1949 edition of Weir High's football team was not successful in the number of games won. Playing with a starting team composed of underclassmen, who lacked in size and experience, a good account was given in various games.

In the opening game of the season against Frontenac the Wildcats were completely outclassed and were overwhelmed 45-12. The Alumni defeated the Wildcats 6-0. Erie's powerful Red Devils smothered the Wildcats 53-0. The Wildcats then journeyed to meet the strong St. Mary's Panthers and were defeated 57-12. St. Mary's went on to win the league championship. The Wildcats were the only team to score on the champions. Weir held fast to the Minden Pirates and were downed 6-0 in a well played game. The Wildcats traveled to Alba and were beaten 43-12. The Mineral Wildcats overwhelmed us 46-6. This was the first time in a number of years that Weir scored on Mineral. Weir stepped out of the league and journeyed to Cherokee and were defeated 20-6 in a well played contest. In the final game of the season the Wildcats held fast to the Mulberry Tigers and were defeated 33-0.

Prospects for next year's team look somewhat brighter with a larger number of boys reporting for practice.

Seniors that will be lost through graduation are James Thompson, Frank VanKam, Eddie Quesnoy, and George Winters. The team elected James Thompson and Eddie Quesnoy co-captains for the closing football season.

Coach, Ken Brock

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Basketball

First row: George Winters, Eddie Quesnoy, James Thompson, Bob Hodgson, Don Ross, Edwin, Mac Richards.

Second row: James Bennett, Billy Joe Craddock, Frank VanKam, Donald Martin, Francis Greer, Bob Larson, Johnnie Poznich, Ken Brock-Coach.

Third row: Cleo Jones, George Curtis, Joe McKenna, Joe Markham, Eddie Quinn, Dickie Carr, Leo Jones.

The 1949-50 edition of the Weir High basketball team enjoyed a fairly successful year. The Wildcats season record of ten wins and ten losses gave them a 500 per cent average, the best in several seasons.

Their league record of six wins and eight losses gave them a six place standing in league play. The line up for the Wildcats is as follows: Don Ross, Eddie Quesnoy, and Bob Larson at the forward positions, Bob Hodgson at center, with Edwin Kennedy and James Thompson at guards.

At the Mineral Belt League Tournament the Wildcats were defeated by the College Hi Comets by a score of 33-31. Weir drew the Frontenac Raiders in the opening game of the District Tournament. The Wildcats were defeated by a final score of 53-48. The team was well supported by the Pep Club.

Bob Hodgson led the team in scoring honors for the season. The other scoring was done in this order: Don Ross, James Thompson, Eddie Quesnoy, Edwin Kennedy, and Bob Larson. Seniors who will be lost by graduation are E. Quesnoy, J. Thompson, and G. Winters.

Lettermen for the closing basketball season are J. Thompson, E. Quesnoy, D. Ross, B. Hodgson, E. Kennedy, C. Flood, M. Richards, and B. Larson.

Scoring results for the season are as follows:

Weir	36	Frontenac	30	Weir	35	Mineral	29	Weir	61	Minden	26
Weir	54	Mulberry	37	Weir	34	Erie	49	Weir	44	Mineral	49
Weir	24	St. Mary's	26	Weir	36	Liberal	53	Weir	29	Erie	30
Weir	35	Cherokee	26	Weir	45	College Hi	54	Weir	40	Liberal	43
Weir	39	Midway	33	*Weir	31	College Hi	33	Weir	47	College Hi	37
Weir	43	Alumni	34	Weir	59	Mulberry	26	**Weir	48	Frontenac	53
Weir	51	Minden	34	Weir	53	St. Mary's	63				

* Mineral Belt League Tournament
** District Tournament

Coach, Ken Brock

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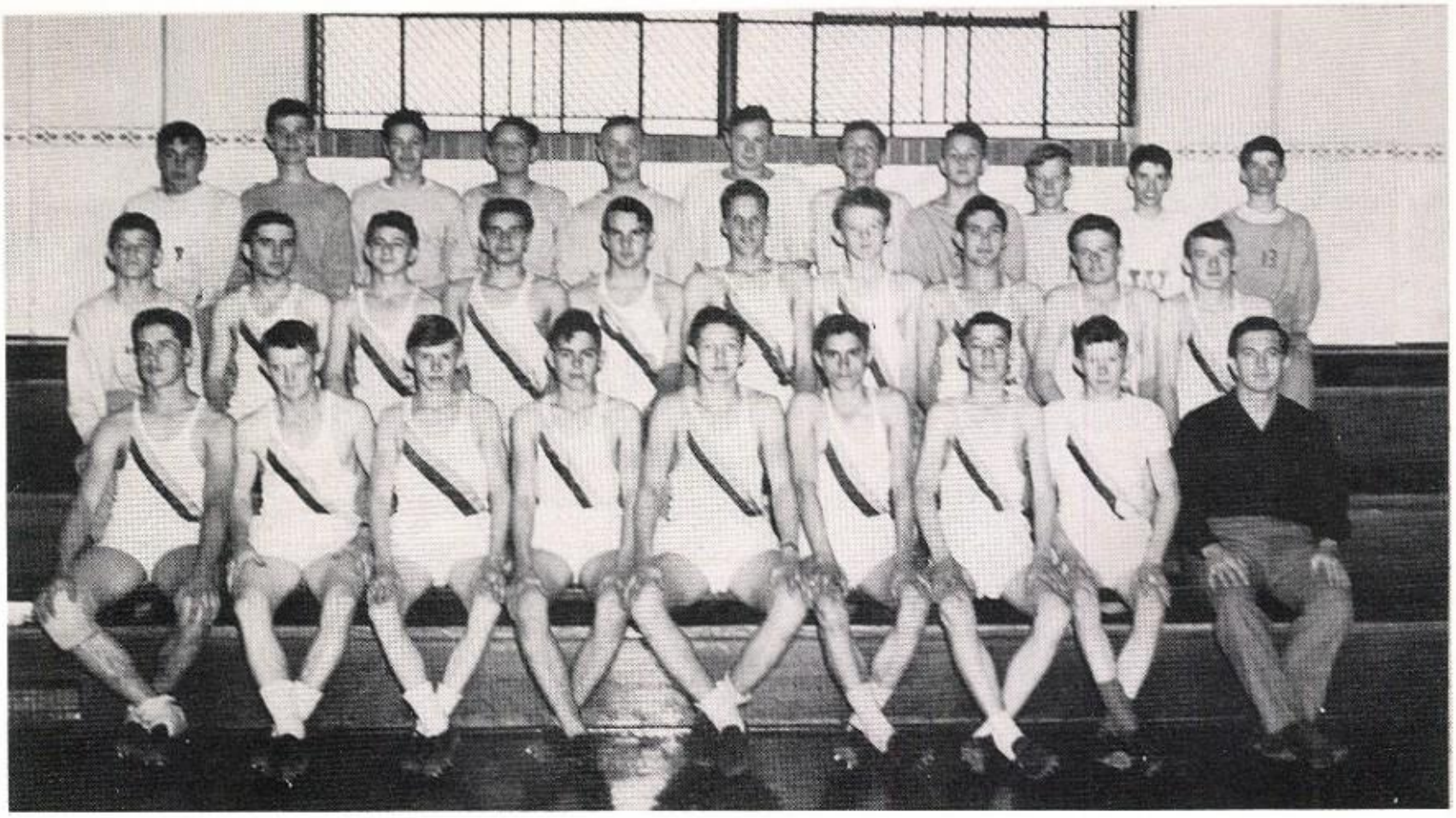
Track Squad



Front Row- Joe Markham, Eddie Quesnoy, Don Brown, Robert Brownlee, James Thompson, Frank Van Kam, Billy Jo Craddock, Ray Brown, Coach Ken Brock.

Middle Row- Richard Carr, Jay Vineyard, Billy Sachetta, George Winters, Edwin Kennedy, Bob Hodgson, Frances Greer, Donal Ross, Joe McKenna, Mac Richards.

Back Row- Danny Sullivan, George Curtis, James Bennett, Johnnie Poznich, Donald Martin, Bob Larson, Cecil Flood, Edward Quinn, Junior Lloyd, Cleo Jones, Leo Jones.

Due to the fact that the annual must go to press a complete schedule of the 1950 season will not be listed.

Track meets that have been scheduled are: A dual meet with Frontenac; a dual meet with Cherokee; a dual meet with Mulberry; the Fort Scott Relays; Pittsburg Invitational; and the Mineral Belt League meet at Pittsburg.

The boys on the 1950 squad and the events in which they will participate are as follows:

J. Thompson--440--Broad Jump--Discus--Medley Relay
E. Quesnoy--440--100--Javelin--880 Relay
F. VanKam--220--100--Low Hurdles--880 Relay
G. Winters--440--Relay
R. Brown--880--100--220--Relays
D. Brown--440--100--Relays
J. Vineyard--440--Relays
J. Markham--Mile--Shot
D. Ross--100--High Jump--Discus--Relays
B. Hodgson--High Jump--Javelin--Relays
B. Brownlie--880--Relays
B. Sachetta--440--Relays
E. Kennedy--440--Shot--Relays
B. Craddock--440--Javelin--Relays
D. Sullivan--880
M. Richards--880
G. Curtis--880
F. Greer--440--Hurdles--Relays
B. Larson--Shot--Hurdles--Relays--100
E. Quinn--440--Hurdles
J. Bennett--Pole Vault--Relays
D. Carr--880--Broad Jump--Relays
D. Martin--Shot--Discus--440
J. McKenna--440--Hurdles--Relays
J. Poznich--Pole Vault--Mile
J. Golledge--Pole Vault
C. Jones--440
N. Risteau--880
C. Flood--880
J. Lloyd--880

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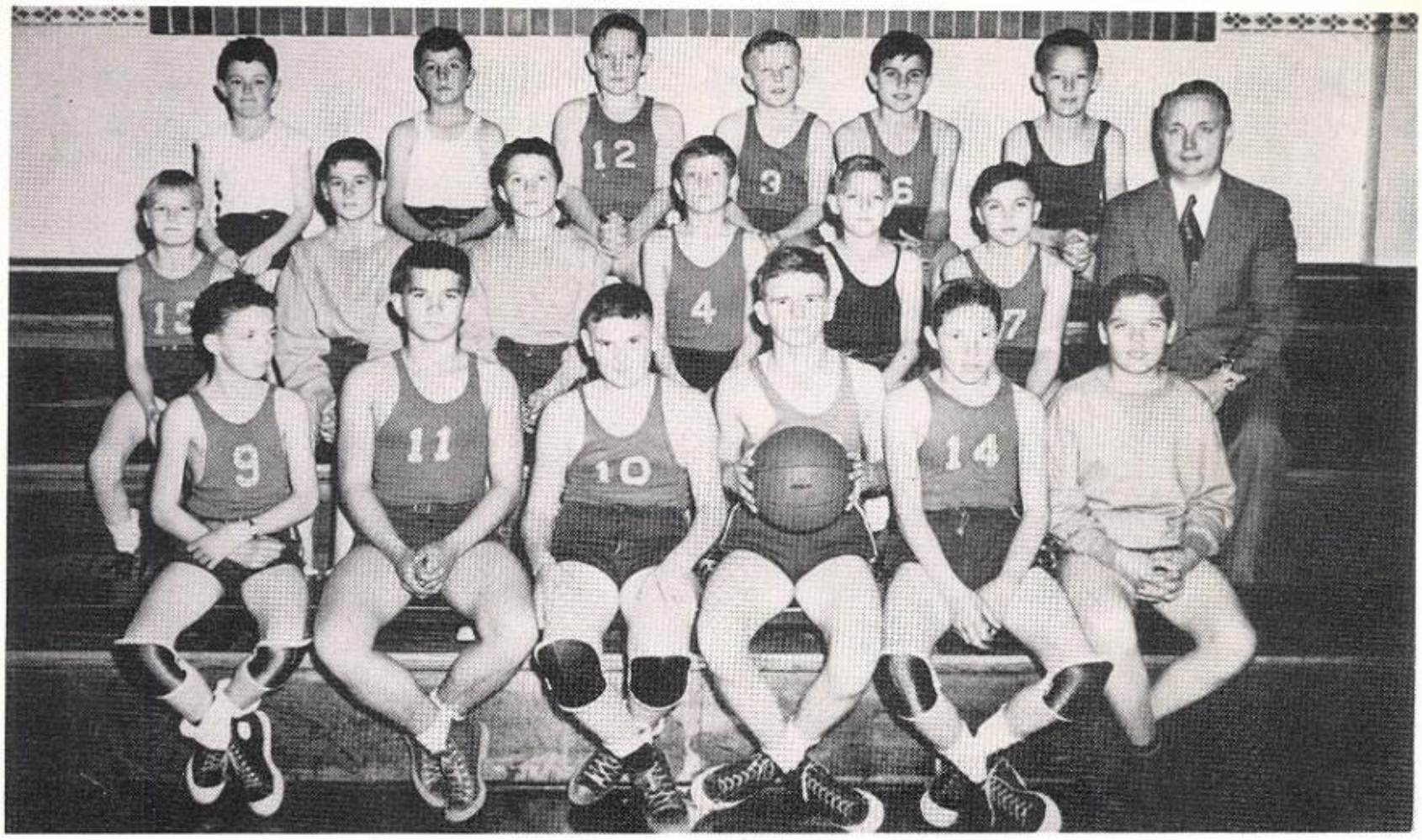
Grade School Basketball



First row: Dale Simonin, David Short, Carl Martin, Neal Scott, Johnie Thompson, Fred Fisher.

Second row: James Bennett, Jimmie Wilson, Fritz Penrod, Don Golledge, Bobby Martin, Francis Sullivan, Coach-John Herring.

Third row: Phillip O'Malley, Fred Martin, Wayne Kennedy, Henry White, Dennis Sullivan, Bill Ohmsieder.

Playing in the Crawford County Grade School Basketball League for the first time, the Grade Regulars and Midgets ended the season's play with records of 7-10 and 9-9 respectively. The Midgets placed third in the strong Cherokee Invitational Tournament by defeating Minden in the first round, losing to Arma in the semi-finals, and defeating Cherokee in the consolation game. The Midgets also gained a tie for fourth with Arcadia in league play. Dale Simonin and "Buck" White carried the scoring burden for the Midgets, while Wayne Kennedy's strong defensive play and aggressive rebounding proved very valuable. Don Golledge, Bobby Martin, and "Pee Wee" Bennett rounded out the Midget's first six. Substitutes were: Francis Sullivan, Fritz Penrod. Jimmie Wilson, Phillip O'Malley, and Fred Martin.

In the regular division, a broken arm suffered by Johnie Thompson early in the season was a blow to the team's chances. The transfer of Bob Neely to Topeka later on was also a tough break. However the boys always played hard and gave a good account of themselves. Regular players, in addition to Thompson and Neely, who saw most of the action were: Carl Martin, Dale Simonin, David Short, Neal Scott, and Fred Fisher. Others on the squad were Dennis Sullivan and Bill Ohmsieder.

Season's Record

Midgets

Weir	2	Arma	12
Weir	13	Girard	15
Weir	25	Cherokee	32
Weir	17	McCune	15
**Weir	15	Treece	12
**Weir	27	Mineral	11
Weir	18	Arcadia	19
**Weir	21	Mineral	8
Weir	19	McCune	25
*Weir	43	Minden	16
*Weir	14	Arma	32
*Weir	16	Cherokee	15
Weir	24	Frontenac	14
Weir	16	Arma	18
Weir	20	Cherokee	17
Weir	19	Girard	23
**Weir	19	Treece	22
Weir	20	Arcadia	11

Regulars

Weir	10	Arma	15
Weir	16	Girard	22
Weir	18	Cherokee	23
Weir	28	McCune	11
**Weir	11	Treece	28
**Weir	30	Mineral	13
Weir	21	Arcadia	22
**Weir	42	Mineral	18
Weir	28	McCune	16
*Weir	38	St. Mary's	25
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* Tournament Games
**Non-league Games

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Carnival

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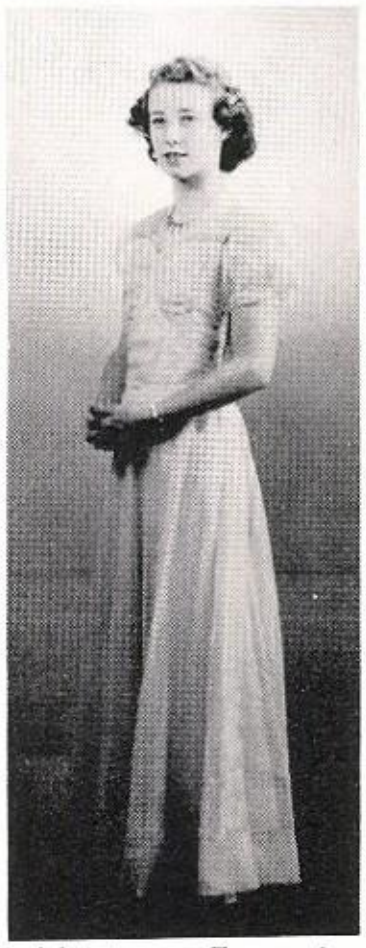

Attendant

Judy Martin

Left to right: Gene Richards; Mary Kinder; Bobby Martin; Billie Beth Moran; David Bennett; Darlene Lair; Lillian McKenna; Bobby Pierson; Nancy Emerson, Attendant; Ronnie Richards; Frank VanKam; Jean Ann Ross, Queen; Fred Fisher; Judy Martin, Attendant; Glen Spencer; Maxine Gillenwaters; Johnnie Poznich; Mary Lou Ross; Bonnie Walker; Billy Sachetta; Alene Bowman; Don Brown.

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Junior Play

Seated- Sandra Van Houten-Eva; Don Brown-Alan, Marjorie Uber-Miss Jenny; Betty Blake-Maude Pain; Betty June Thompson-Doris Painter; Benny Harley-Dolly Dean.

Standing- Martha Ohmsieder-Aunt Eliza; Joe Markham-Stage Manager; Ray Brown-Publicity Manager; Alene Bowman-Nina Gilbert; Lois Flood-Manager of Props; Mrs. Dora Peterson-Sponsor; Miss Virginia George-Sponsor; Vivian Bennett-Auditorium Manager; Mary Myers-Isabel Burton; Mary Edith Scott-Trixie Harris; Corky Jones-Larry Duncan; Jay Vineyard-Nicholas Dean.

Minstrel

Senior Play

Seated: Betty Jo Filby-Angela Rimini, Hazel Bowman-Betty London, Florence Penrod-Lulu Giffen, Elma Jean Walters-Helen Raleigh, Eddie Quesnoy-"Jug" Brown.

Standing: Harold Martin-Professor Dexter, Helen Gillenwaters-Dean Eggleby, George Winters-George West, Wilma Sullivan-Judy West, Mrs. Colcord-Sponsor, James Thompson-Sam Raleigh, Jean Ann Ross-Jane Raleigh, Frank VanKam-Larry Dobson.

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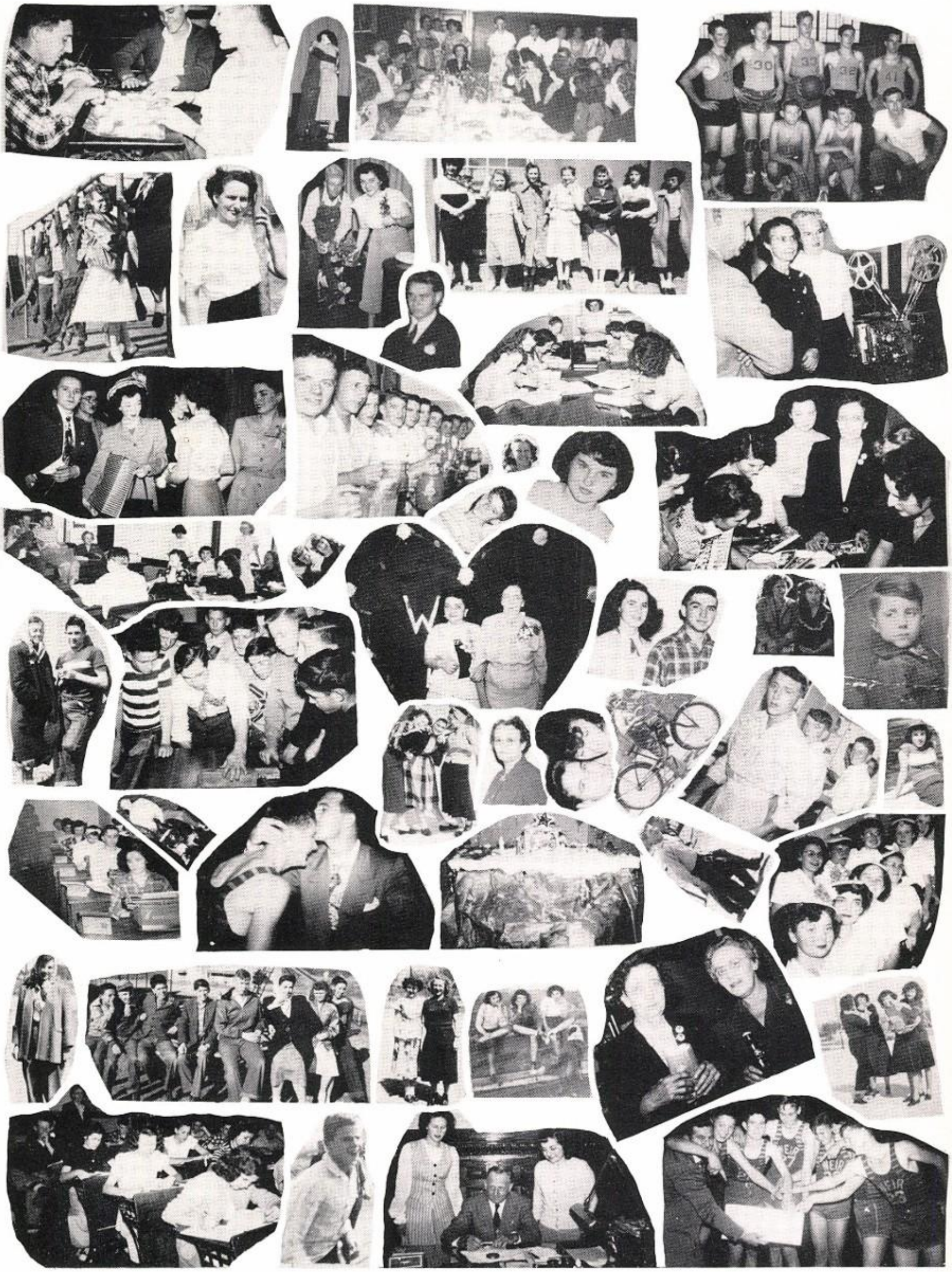

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It has been fun being in your classes this year and I know it will be just as much fun next year, except that you won't be our sponsor.

I have really enjoyed working with you in all of our-out-of-school activities.

Have a wonderful summer, but come back to school next fall and teach me how to be a great shorthand writer.

Martha